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### SUMMARY OF DAY'S NEWS

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday; Virginia and North Carolina—Fair Wed-nesday and Thursday; light, variable

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RICHMOND.

kers propose to start a line of autoes; they announce that stock to the int of \$15 cop has been subscribed for, meeting of subscribers will soon be "Police Commissioners ask for to employ extra officers to guard tity.—President Griggs advises the meu to pay no attention to the resonance of Manager Huff for the return of a subscriber of Manager Huff for the return of as and buttons—Soldiers to be with a second as possible; they are likely little more guard duty here—Judge ham not eligible to sit in the trial of f. Solomon; the Governor to designanther Judge to preside—Coroner settirns a non-committal verdict, required to be laid before the grand diffusion of the committed of the commi

#### VIRGINIA.

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Attractive prize list for the Warn Horse Show—Norfolk Real Estate
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is that bars must, under the Mann

Rt Fort Fisher—Sad case of lunacy at Salisbury—The Haywood murder case to come up in October; the accused much improved since his release—Extensive preparations for an unprecedented labor barade in Salisbury on Labor Day.

incurselves—Mollieux appeals from decision deopyine him mandamus on prison vistorities for the return of photographs and Bertillon measurements—Directors of the Nashville, Chettanooga and St. Louis Rallroad in annual statement report sarnings a million and a half in excess of those of last year—President is those of his description of the Jews to the Czar—Discovery of frauds in departments of the Nathonal and District governments for the National and District governments are the Subject of a great deal of talk in Weblington Aurderer who reassed his crimer webling of the National and District governments are the subject of a great deal of talk in Weblington Murderer who reassed his crimer Weekly crop builtin follows improved condition in cotton and to have the subject of the Park Shipyard employes at Buffalo go on a strike for none wages.—Southern Hardware Johert Association is in session in Saratoga.—Terminals in Charleston, S. C., are murchased jointly by the Southern and the Atlantic Coast Line—Astarita took the Glem Cove handicap at Brighton Reach.

#### CONTRACT ILLEGAL. WILL NOT BE ENFORCED

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(By Associate Press.)

LANSING, MICH., July 14.—A majority of the Supreme Court, Justice Grant dissenting, to-day set aside a judgment of 10,000, secured by the Detroit Salt Company in the Wayne circuit against the National Salt Company for salt purchased under contract. The Supreme Court says that the officials of the Detroit company was endeavoring to secure control of the salt market, and the contract is therefore declared to be illegal, being in restraint of trade, and the courts will not aid in the enforcement of illegal contracts.

#### VIRGINIA EDITORS AT OCEAN VIEW

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., July 14.—The Virginia Press Association met this afternoon at Ocean View and was called to order by the president, Mr. W. S. Copeland.

Nothing was done save the appointment of the usual committees. Many members arrived this evening, and the attendance promises to be large.

To-morrow the assocition will be in second

# FIGHT OF WISCONSIN

Stalwarts Are Trying to Down Gov. La Follette.

CAMPAIGN IS ONE FOR BLOOD

Show Their Seriousness by Starting Year Ahead.

SENATOR SPOONER AIDING IN THE FIGHT

Governor Trying to Build Up a Hybrid Party-His Socialistic and Populistic Tendencies-Now Speaking at Country Fairs in the West-Much Bit-

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 14 .- Word

General Mr. Payne and their friends.
Governor La Follette is at this time addressing farmers' gatherings and chautangua meetings throughout the West, in the course of his speeches declaring for a vigorous onslaught against the trusts; asserting that the money power has the people by the throat, and charging the railroads with tyrannizing over the producers and consumers.

WHAT LA FOLETTE WANTS.
In Wisconsin he wants further taxation of the railroads, abolishment of political caucuses and conventions and a direct vote of the people by primaries. He is a dramatic taker and arouses great excitement wherever he speaks. He goes at his subset in a hammer and tongs style, takes off his coat, gets warmed up and divests himself of his collar. He calls the four of clubs by its right name, and if he can find any picturesque borderings to trim it with does not fail to do so. His course in Wisconsin has aroused bitterness which can only be assuaged; it is declared, by his complete political annihilation. His annihilation, a his enemies well realize.

The situation in Wisconsin is said to be very distribing to the national managers of the Republican party, who hope to see harmony restored before the national elections come along. The "stalwarts" say the only way to restorg harmony is to kill off La Follette, and favors of the Federal administration are not being given to the La Follette faction.

#### ST. JOHN'S GIFT TO CAPT. CUNNINGHAM

At the stated communication of St. John's Lodge, No. 36. A. F. and A. M., which was held last night, Wor. John H. Dickerson, in behalf of the lodge, in an address replete with eloquetice, presented to Wor. Frank W. Cunningham, the late master, a beautiful pastmaster's jewel, which was received by him with appropriate remarks.

Treasurer Charles H. Phillips and Captain Cunningham were called on after the presentation and both sang solos, which were greatly enjoyed.

### OFFICIALLY DECLARED ENTIRELY UNFOUNDED

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To-morrow the assocition will be in session all day, and several interesting parers will be read.

ST PETERSBURG, July 14.—The report that M. Lessar, the Russian chilliats to complete the service of the propers of the propers

# THE POLICE MUST PREPARE TO THOROUGHLY GUARD THE CITY

Five Thousand

TO BE EXPENDED IN EXTRA OFFICERS

The Plan is to Increase the Force Very Materially.

REQUEST IN MADE BY POLICE BOARD

Consideration Last Night by the Board and Turned Over to the for Speedy Dis-

bility of policing the city and protecting

been found inadequate to break up law

#### Patrolled the Streets.

#### Make Report at Once. The brief letter to Mr. Landerkin can

did very little real service, he thought.

to people and the destruction of property would, in a measure, be shifted to them. It is very likely that meetings of the Common Council and the Board will be held shortly to receive the report of their Finance Committee on this matter.

### DEVELOPMENTS TO BE EXPECTED

More Serious Charges of Corruption in Postoffice Department.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 14.-The postoffice inspectors are investigating charges made against John M. Masten, now assistant superintendent of the rail way mail service and formerly chief clerk of the First Assistant Postmaster-Gen-etal's office. A man named Terry, now eral's office. A man named Terry, now in the government service, has made an affidavit before the inspectors alleging that Masten, while chief clerk to the that Masten, while chief clerk to the Pirst Assistant, proposed that Terry pay him \$50 down and \$8 or \$10 a month to secure reinstatement in a former posttion in Masten's bureau.

ternoon that he expected there would termoon that he expected there would be some important news during his absence on his trip along the coast, and that he expected the grand jury would furnish some interesting developments.

Mr. Payne will leave here to-morrow morning and will be aboard the revenue cutter while it makes its regular cruise, which will extend as far as Boston, and possibly up to the Maine coast. He said to-night that he had not made his vacation plans yet, but that he would like to revisit. Poland Springs, Maine, if possible. He expects to be away most of August

Postmaster-General Payne said this af-

# FACTIONS Alderman are Asked for GRAND JURY TO PASS ON TAYLOR KILLING

An inquisition at the Hustings Court, in the City of Manchester, on the 14th day of July, in the year 1903, before me, John W. Broadnax, a coroner of the City of Manchester, upon view of the body of Luther Taylor, the jurors sworn to inquire when, how and by what means the said Luther Taylor came to his death, upon our oaths do say we believe the said Luther Taylor came to his death on the night of July 4, 1903, at about 10 o'clock, and that said death was due to a gunshot wound inflicted by a bullet fired from a gun in the hands of either Corporal W. E. Lane or Sergeant R. P. Burwell, and whether said shooting was justifiable or not we are unable to agree.

> B. M. ROBERTSON, J. E. DAVIDSON, JOHN W. BROADNAX, M. D., Coroner.

J. R. HOLLIDAY, M. A. CAMPBELL J. B. LIPSCOMB,

nich time more than sixty witnesses evidence on the killing of Luther

wounded, from the effects of which he died in about half an hour.

The evidence also showed that he was shot before reaching Perry Street, and that the balls sent after him after passing that point went wild and landed in various houses in that neighborhood.

Corporal Lane and Sergeant Burwell, the latter of Company B, of the Blues, were the only soldiers shown to have shot at Taylor from Cowardin Avenue in a position to have inflicted the wound. Hence the mention of their names in the

Another military day was experienced n the hearings of the coroner's jury in

# SHERIFF'S WIT PROMISES TO SAVED NEGRO

Smuggled Him Away Before Kentucky Republicans Have Crowd Gathered.

HAPPENED IN NEW YORK

Usual Crime Was Responsible and the Crowd that Gathered Was Determined on Meting Out Summary Punishment to Brute.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 14 .- Th this afternoon prevented the lynching of James Little, a nineteen-year-old negro hailing from Summerhurst, N. J., who early this morning, near Baltimore, criminally assaulted Emma Cole, aged eleven years, daughter of Joseph Cole, a farmer, living one mile back of New Baltimore, The negro escaped after threatening the hild with death. Two other children had given the alarm, and Mr. Cole and his neighbors met the child coming home, and at once organized a party to scour the woods. Little was captured on the railroad track near Coxsackie. He confessed the assault and was locked up.

A mob of 150 enraged farmers started from New Baltimore for Coxsackie, augmented by a large number of striking Coxsackie moulders and rivermen, all frankly vowing their intention of lynchng the negro.

Deputy Sheriff Summer Van Loon, realizing that the coming of darkness would mean the breaking of the filmsy local lock-up and the violent death of his prisoner, emuggled the negro out and

## MEET AT SARATOGA

(By Associated Press.)

\$ARATOGA, N. Y. July 14.—The Southern Hardware Jobbers' Association began its thirteenth convention here, to-day. The opening session was attended day. The opening session was attended by members of the American Hardware Manufacturers' Association, which becam its forth convention here to day. Addresses of welcome were made by village President Adelbert P. Knapp. of Sarstogs Springs, and W. R. Orumley, of Atlanta, Ga., to the Manufacters' Association. The response was made by N. A. Gladding, of Indianapolis, and P. A. Heitman, of Houston, Texas, delivered the ganual address of the president,

BE EXCITING

Hot Fight on Hand.

"STAND PAT" ON TARIFF

There is a Fairly Large Element Op-

posed to Endorsing Candidacy of President Roosevelt-Dark Horse May Win Fight.

Louisville candidates for Governor the Republican State convention, which will open in Louisville to-morrow afternoon, promises to be exciting. The situation in the race for Gover-

nor has apparently reached a phase where the nomination of a dark horse will follow the failure of the Belknap forces to win on the first two ballots, There are three avowed candidates in the field; Colonel Morris B. Belknap, a Louisville merchant; Hon, E. Augustus Wilson, a Louisville lawyer, and Judge Clifton J. Pratt, Attorney-General of Kentucky. The Belknap leaders are claiming the nomination of their candidate on the first ballot.

John W. Yerkes has been offered the

John W. Yerkes has been offered the permanent chairmanship, but it is understood that he desires to head the Committee on Resolutions in order that Roosevelt's interests may be looked after. There is an element, fairly large, which opposes an endorsement of President Roosevelt's candidacy at this time, but as it it is part of the Belknap strength, it is not believed that the anti-administration men will jeopardize the chances of their candidate for Governor by opposing Roosevelt resolutions. The by opposing Roosevelt resolutions. The resolutions, in so far as they concern the tariff and trust questions, will be of the 'stand pat' davor, the sentiment on this point being practically unanimous.

#### ONE KILLED, MANY HURT IN HEAD-ON COLLISION

(By Associated Press.)

DES MOINES, IOWA, July 14.—A head on collision between a southbound passenger train and a northbound freight irrun on the Great Western Railroad, near Savannah, Mo. carly to-day, resulted in the death of Fireman Stiart, of Des Moines, and the scrious injury of Englineer Brownfield, of Des Moines.

The injured trainmen will recover. Twenty passengers were injured, some of them seriously, but they, too, will recover. The wreck was due to an accident which delayed the passenger rain and prevented it from reaching Schuster, where the two trains were to pass,

Military Likely to Soon Be Withdrawn.

### STRIKERS WILL RUN AUTOMOBILES

Have the Money Necessary to Purchase Large Number.

### PRESIDENT GRIGGS TALKS ON BADGES

Says the Men Have a Right to Throw Them Away If They So Desire. Capt. Martin Asks Court of Inquiry in the Trouble With of Henrico.

other points along the line, all During the day and for some hours minor disturbances cropped out here

Situation is Acute.

The interest of the public in general is at this time largely centered in the question of the removal of the troops and the ability of the Richmond police, under Both Governor Montague and Colonel

Hoth Governor Montague and Colone Anderson decline to discuss for publica-tion anything with reference to the with-drawal of the soldiers. It is known posi-tively, however, that it is the desire of both to get the men away as soon as pos-

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### MANGHURIA WAS UNDER DISCUSSION

Secretary Hay Holds Important Conference With the Russian Minister.

# THE POPE STILL FENDS OFF DEATH

Another Day of Hopes and Fears Passes.

### NONE PUZZLED MORE THAN THE DOCTORS

His Last Rally was Opposed to All Theortes.

#### HIS STRENGTH SLOWLY, SURELY EBBING AWAY

Pontiff May Die at Any Minute, but Wearing Down His Constitution.

general condition of the Pope is al-most unchanged. To periods of restmost unchanged.

trangull enough, although his breathing at times was difficult.

strength of the august patient is di-"MAZZONI,

#### SPELLS OF DELIRIUM FOLLOWED BY RALLY

Strength Diminishing.

tiff may die at any moment, even in the midså of one of those extracçdinary intervals when his mind and body present a comparatively sound appearance. All those around the patient have long since ceased to hold definite opinions regarding the duration of the Pontiff's existence. The slow, but progressive, diminution of the strength of the august patient foretells the approaching end of the struggle with death, but the dootors will not venture to predict how near the end is. Constant relapses, they say, such as created alarm early yesterday, are gradually wearing down the Pope's constitution, which seems immune from any specific disease. Most persons are inclined to the idea that Pope Leo may of the total progressive the progressive the progressive three repetitions of yesterday's ups and downs, till, as Dr. Rossoni puts it, "his pulse stops forever."

as Dr. Rosson pars.

Three causes may end his life, wiz.;
continued insbility to take nourishment,
which was exhibited to-day, sudden heart
failure or the progression of pleuric dis-

ase. The latter is thought the least probable, a day succeeds day it becomes pathogically clearer that it is a case of a ery old man dying because he has lived

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 14.—Farreaching in its effect on the Manchurial situation was the conference at the State Department to-day between Secretary Hay and Theodore Hausen, the Russian charge d'affaires, who called, it is understood, to bring important advices from St. Petersburg regarding the ports in Manchuria which Russia is willing China shall open to the United States. This has been the question that has deadlocked the negotiations for some time. What transpired at to-day's conference can only be surmised, as both of the conferect declined to discuss the meeting.

It was indicated to-day by a State Department official that the next few days might bring to light important developments regarding the Chinese-American treuty.

TRIBUNAL TO SETTLE

VENEZUELAN CLAIMS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 14.— Secretary Washing and Production of the State of the Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON D. C. July 14.— Secretary Hay has invited the Czar of Russia to name and appoint from the members of the permanent court of The Liague three arbitrators to constitute the tributing which is to determine and settle the question submitted to it under the Veneguelan claims treaty.